

Changing or retiring a trustee

When to use this form

- Different trusts have different terms and conditions when it comes to changing or retiring trustees. It's important to refer first to the terms and conditions of your particular trust ('the trust provisions') before completing this form, to understand any restrictions that may apply.
- As a trust is a legal document, any changes you need to make must be done via a 'deed'. This provides an official record of the changes. You can use this form to let us know about the changes required, which then allows us to prepare the relevant deed(s) for you.
- Trusts can be complicated, so this form is intended to cater for simple changes. There may be some scenarios in which we need additional information or where we'd recommend you seek independent legal advice. If that's the case, we'll let you know.

If you have any questions or need help completing this form, please contact us using the details provided at the end – we'll be happy to help.

Policy(s) affected

Full name of settlor

The 'settlor' is the policyholder who originally placed the policy in trust – please provide their full name in BLOCK CAPITALS:

Zurich policies covered by this instruction

Please provide the policy number(s) covered by this instruction:

Important information about trusts

- A 'retiring' trustee is discharged from all of their duties under the trust. Once we've prepared the deed based on your instructions, the retiring trustee will need to sign it.
- In some circumstances it may be possible to remove a trustee without their agreement/signature, or discharge a trustee as 'missing' if you're no longer able to trace them.
- Under trust law, the total number of trustees cannot fall below two (other than on the death of a trustee) or rise above four (including the settlor), unless a trustee is retiring.
- All trustees must be over 18 years of age to be legally appointed.

Changes required

Full name(s) of current, retiring trustees

Please provide the FULL name(s) in BLOCK CAPITALS of any existing trustees who would like to retire :

Full name(s) of new trustee(s)

Please provide the FULL name(s) in BLOCK CAPITALS of any new trustees to be appointed :

Returning this form

Please return both pages of the completed form to us – you can either email us a scanned copy or send a hard copy in the post. Please make sure you use the correct email or postal address for your policy, as shown below.

If you'd prefer to use email, we'd always recommend you use a secure, encrypted service and retain an original copy of the document, just in case we need it in the future.

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